

Villa Through British Hopes to Align U.S. Against Carranza

His Next Objective is Tampico Where England Gets Her Oil Supply for Army and Naval Operations

VILLA IS STILL GATHERING STRENGTH

By Webb Miller
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
El Paso, Dec. 27.—That Villa's objective is Tampico and that the bandit leader is swiftly setting the stage for a storming of the Mexican seaport was the word received in reports by United States agents here today. Officials believe that Villa's object in taking Tampico to force international action by Carranza against the United States. Fuel for England comes from the oil fields in that region and Villa it is thought believes that England will force the United States government to act if their oil supply is cut off. In the absence of direct reports United States agents here believe Villa in all probability will move next on Monterey the only position of any importance lying between his present base Torreon and Tampico.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Two developments that closely followed each other today thrust the Mexican situation in

NEW MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENT

The Sportsman's Supply company is one of the newest mercantile establishments in Clearfield. The new firm is owned by J. Willard Chase and succeeds to the business of Luther Hubler on Third street. Mr. Hubler has been running a sporting goods store at this location for the past three years and the young men mentioned have purchased and taken same over. Both are hustling and energetic and having already had considerable experience in the business will no doubt make a success of same.

They will handle everything in the sporting goods line and solicit a share of the trade.

Mr. Hubler intends embarking in the motorcycle business in Clearfield and will likely associate himself with one of the local automobile garages as he is an expert mechanic with a wide knowledge of the automobile game.

We wish the new firm every success.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TREAT CHILDREN

Clearfield Council, Knights of Columbus, played Santa Claus to the children of the parochial school at their club rooms on Market street Sunday afternoon. A huge Christmas tree and a real live Santa Claus were on the job and three hundred and fifteen pound boxes of delicious candy were handed out to that many delighted youngsters. It was a particularly pleasant occasion.

New Years dance at the Dimeling. Music by Nassakoff-Maggia Russian orchestra, of Pittsburgh. Subscription \$2.00 D27-5t

One Hundred and Fifty Guests Attend Last Night's Charity Ball

Many out of Town People Present to Enjoy Music of the Wallace Orchestra

The annual charity ball under the auspices of the Junior Auxiliary was held last evening in the ball room of the Dimeling hotel.

About one hundred and fifty guests and visitor danced to the beautiful strains of the Wallace Orchestra. A cotillon dance was the special feature of the evening. Red Christmas bells decorated the hall.

At midnight a delicious buffet lunch was prepared by the auxiliary and served in the dining room of the hotel.

Those from out of town who attended the dance were: Helen Wrigley of Mahaffey, Edith and Alice Patton of Curwensville; W. McKee of Lumberton City; M. A. Walter of Mt. Carmel; James Kerr of Syracuse; John

in turmoil. First, word reached the state department that unrest in Northern Mexico is growing. Second, Secretary of the Interior Lane has issued a call for a conference of the American members of the American-Mexican commission "at some early date" probably this week. Up until noon the troops withdrawal protocol agreed upon by the commission has not been received from Carranza. Information has reached the state department that large troops of bandits are on the rampage and that the "situation is such as to give the state department fresh concern." The state department newspaper conference this morning centered chiefly in the discussion of Mexican matters. The department stated that Villa is setting large supplies of ammunition from across the American border but just how the department does not know. It stated that conditions were the same as they were a few months ago when Carranza characterized them as "deplorable."

SENATOR'S DAUGHTER TO BE A BRIDE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Miss Julia Williams, daughter of Senator and Mrs. John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, and Thomas Rives Boykin of Savannah, Ga., whose engagement has attracted much attention in Washington society, are to have a quiet home wedding at the Washington residence of the bride's parents tomorrow evening. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Andrew R. Bird of the Second Presbyterian church. Miss Williams will be unattended and Mr. Boykin will have as his best man his brother, John K. Boykin, of Savannah.

TAFT AND NAGLE TO SPEAK

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 27.—Former President Taft and former Secretary of Commerce Nagle are scheduled among the prominent speakers who are to address the tenth annual Cosmopolitan Clubs' convention, which assembled at Yale today for a three-day session. The purpose of the convention is an enlargement upon the aim of the separate clubs in colleges and universities of the United States, namely, the promotion of a better understanding based upon friendship between men of different nationalities. Thirty of the leading colleges and universities of the country are represented.

MICHIGAN N. G. DISAPPOINTED

El Paso, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—After all preparations were made today to entrain for home orders were given to the 11th Michigan national guard that would not entrain at once. No reasons were given for the change. The baggage cars were all ready.

JAP STEAMER AGROUND

Tokio, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—The steamship, Sankaku Maru is aground off Chefoo with her crew and passengers totaling 400. The position of the vessel today was said to be "hopeless." Two Americans are among the Sankaku Maru's passengers. Chefoo is a Chinese port in the province of Shantung separated from Port Arthur by the Yellow Sea.

Best of custom coal. Prompt delivery. C. B. Graham, H. & C. toll. D21-6tp.

OUR CHRISTMAS WAS REAL HAPPY OCCASION

None Forgotten; Peace, Good Will and Christian Charity Order of the Day

"HELLO GIRLS" RECEIVE BONUS

This Christmas was a particularly happy one in Clearfield and no where was this happiness more radiant and joyous than about the pleasant quarters of the "hello girls" at the Huntington and Clearfield telephone exchange, where each girl received her first handsome remembrance under the bonus system introduced by this company when the new schedule of hours and compensation was put in effect some three months ago.

Each girl received a check calling for a per centage of her monthly salary and all were extremely grateful for the generosity of the company.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles one of the leading fraternal organizations of the town, which annually remembers those left behind by brother members who have gone from among us, gave a two and one half dollar gold piece to each of twenty widows whose husbands were members of the order at the time of their deaths.

In this connection it might be well to add, following out the good things said about the different fraternal societies by one of the lecturers during Institute week, that the Fraternal Order of Eagles since their institution in Clearfield on August 10th, 1904, have distributed, to its members in the way of benefits and to charities of different kinds and character the handsome total sum of \$16,571.28, a most remarkable showing.

The Elks, Moose and a number of other fraternal organizations dispensed their charities with a lavish hand, while the different church organizations and our charitably disposed private citizens searched out the few dark corners and saw that a large measure of Christmas cheer was dispensed to every individual within our borders.

The day was ideal as to weather conditions and God's sunshine was reflected in and from the hearts of all our people, who carried out perfectly the divine "peace and good will" command to its fullest extent.

Everybody enjoyed themselves to their heart's content and so far as it was possible to determine not a single infraction of any law occurred and the police were allowed to rest and enjoy the day without a single call for their services.

In addition to the bonus received

FRANCE HONORS AMERICAN BOY FOR BRAVERY ON FIELD.



NORMAN C. LEE

Norman C. Lee, son of Albert Lee, editor of Vanity Fair, has shown the kind of staff those American boys who do not fear war are made of. He went to the Verdun front Dec. 8, as a driver in the American Ambulance Corps, and less than two weeks later he received the medal of honor. On a road sweep by German shells he carried an unconscious ambulance driver one mile to save his life. His own auto had been overturned by a shell. Before he went to war he was a student in Phillips Exeter Academy.

Pancoast Verdict Finally Set Aside

Supreme Court Says: Man Hurt by Brick Can't Recover

Philadelphia, Dec. 27.—Judgment of the western district court in favor of the Fidelity Title & Trust company, administrator of Vernon W. Pancoast, and against the DuBois Electric company, was reversed today in an opinion filed by Judge McPherson, of the United States circuit court of Appeals. Pancoast was injured by the fall of a political banner stretched across the street in the borough of DuBois.

The accident for which the verdict was secured occurred in the fall of 1912. A political banner bearing Taft and Sherman pictures, was anchored around a chimney of the Commercial hotel. During a severe windstorm the banner blew down, carrying several bricks from the chimney of the Commercial. One of these bricks struck Vernon Pancoast on the head, severely injuring him. He subsequently died and the later suits were carried on by his widow.

The late A. L. Cole of Clearfield, was the attorney for the defense, while L. D. McCall of DuBois, and Attorney Jones of Pittsburgh, looked after the interests of the plaintiff.

The case was tried four times. The first time a verdict of \$10,000 was returned against the City of DuBois. The city was found not to be liable and then suit was brought against the electric company and on that trial resulted in a verdict for plaintiff for \$8,000, and it was this verdict that was set aside.

Fatal Coasting Accident at DuBois

Fourteen Year Old Boy Rides Under Street Cars and is Killed

The first fatal coasting accident this winter in DuBois happened yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock when William Cowie, the 14 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cowie, of South Brady street, was almost instantly killed when he rode a sled under one of the heavy suburban street cars, bound for Skysville, at the junction of Denton street and Dixon avenue, Sandy township. The front wheels of the car passed over the boy's body, which was caught under the car in such a manner that he could not be released.

The injured boy was still living when taken from under the car, and was at once rushed to the hospital, but died in five minutes after his arrival there.

from the company all the girls received handsome remembrances from the patrons of the H. & C. and this thoughtfulness and appreciation added much to the joy of the recipients.

FORMER JEFFERSON COUNTY WOMAN DEAD

Mrs. A. W. Adam, mother of Alex Adam, of the Gould Shoe store, and a former resident of this section who was well known in the Beechwoods section, died last Friday in Denver, Colo.

Death was due to the decline attending to advancing years and came after an illness of several months. The deceased was 78 years of age and had resided in Brockwayville and Beechwoods until six years ago when she went West.

The deceased is survived by seven sons and one daughter as follows, James, of Sayre, Pa.; William, of Waverly, N. Y.; A. W., of Trinidad, Colo.; Thomas F., of Reynoldsville, Pa.; G. R. Adam, of Brockwayville; Mrs. Edward Mackley, of Denver, Colo., where death occurred; Alexander of Clearfield, and John, of Fort Collins, Colo.

The remains will arrive at Brockwayville on Friday morning and will be buried from the home of G. R. Adam of Saturday morning, interment to be made in the Beechwoods cemetery.

Hear John Tyler at the PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 7:30 TO-NIGHT

LICENSE COURT WILL BE HELD JAN. 15TH

Ninety-seven Applications are Filed and "Dry" Federation Getting Ready for Scrap

THIRTEEN NEW APPLICATIONS

License court will be held Monday January 15th this year. The list of license applications will be published by order of court this week.

There are 79 hotel applications; 15 wholesales and 3 breweries. All the present license holders are applying together with the following new ones:

Hotels:
Morris McKay, Brislin borough.
George McMullen, Grampian borough.
Albert Kasubiek, Houtzdale borough.
Joseph Buranosky, Ramey borough.
J. C. Willard, Troutville borough.
S. M. Knarr, Troutville borough.
Joseph Lomier, Beccaria township.
D. A. Strayer, Beccaria township.
Thomas F. McLaughlin, Cooper township.
R. E. Giles, Cooper township.
Herbert Shuttleworth and George W. Fox, Gulch township.
John J. Devine, Huston township.

Wholesales

A. J. Harber, Beccaria township.

The Clearfield County Dry Federation will make a determined fight against the granting of all licenses. The district executive committee the six chairmen of which were recently appointed by President Reitz, of DuBois are actively at work circulating, remonstrances and mapping out plans for the battle which will be waged during the license hearings.

One of the applicants, John H. Burns, of Decatur, died since filing his petition for license.

Location of Farm Loan Banks is Announced

140 Cities Applying are Among the Disappointed

Washington, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—The federal farm loan board today announced the following cities in which farm loan banks are to be located: Springfield, Mass, Baltimore, Columbia S. C.; Louisville, New Orleans, St. Louis, St. Paul, Omaha, Wichita, Houston, Berkeley, Spokane. 140 cities applying were disappointed.

MAYOR WHO DEFIED COURTS TO GET COAL FOR POOR



MAYOR J. MACVICAR

Charging that some of the twenty coal mines near Des Moines restricted production to keep up prices, Mayor John MacVicar seized several wagon loads from a coal company for poor persons who said they had been unable to buy coal while the thermometer was 14 degrees below zero. He was stopped in his first raid by an injunction of a court. Then he went into hiding, so he could not be served again and he made arrangements for a raid on another company's coal supply. He said he took this action because there was a public necessity.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Revised surveys are being conducted in the Pleasant Valley U. B. church by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Graham, and help us.

New Construction is Put on Purp of Wilson Peace Note

Dispatches Show That Allies Will Certainly Refuse to Accept Proposal of Germany for Meeting

SWEDEN IN ACCORD WITH PEACE NOTE

One high official today told the United Press that there would be no more note writing and that if anything more developed in the Arabia, Marina and other cases it was clear that Germany had broken her pledges. This will have some bearing if Germany starts a new submarine campaign.

In this connection it was said that President Wilson's "peace" note and Secretary Lansing's subsequent "verge of war" statement were in measure educational so that the country would not wonder what it was all about if matters came to a breaking point. Some state that there will be a break with Germany if present negotiations fail but others have pointed out that the President has placed himself in the position of a potential mediator and cannot fail unless his ideas are knocked down hard.

Sweden has thrown its influence into the scales for peace along with the United States and Switzerland according to dispatches to the London Daily Telegraph today. These said that a note identical to that of Switzerland had been forwarded from Stockholm to the belligerent capitals. In Washington a general hopelessness for peace prevailed owing to Germany's suggestion of a round table conference. The President it was said desired to offset the necessity of putting through his Sussex note with the possibility of a break with Germany.

reference. The Teutonic reply was held here, however, as giving England and her allies a special chance to optimize their aims and ideals in a statement to the world.

THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

The finishing of the interior of the new High School building is being completed as rapidly as Contractor Lukens and his hustling crew can do the work and the handsome new building is a busy place these days. It was expected that a part of the new building would be ready for occupancy following the Christmas holidays, but it was found to be impossible to get it ready at such time, the delay being occasioned by failure to receive the blackboards and other material needed.

It is expected that this part of the building will be ready by February 1st.

FOR COAT-ROBING CHAMPION SHIP

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 27.—In the first of championship roping contests, the champion ropers of the world were united in a friendly rivalry on Saturday night, December 24 at the Hotel El Comodoro by Rev. B. J. Shaw. The beautiful ring erected for the contest in the church was used for the first time. A woman expert to make her name in Clearfield. Best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

MARRIED IN CUMBERLAND

Miss Ruth Hahney of Indiana and J. R. Lynch, of Titusville, surprised their friends by quietly slipping away and getting married. Miss Lynch was formerly a Clearfield girl and has been for the past two years in training at the South Side hospital of Pittsburgh. Mr. Lynch is one of Titusville's most popular young men. He is at present physical instructor of the Y. M. C. A. of that city.

Peace Note "Leak" Traced by Rep. Wood Into Diplomatic Circles

Relative of High Official Interested in Brokerage Business Profited Immensely

Washington, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—Representative Wood's search for information regarding the leak to Wall street of advance information on President Wilson's peace note led him into diplomatic circles and into the homes of relatives of officials high in the administration, he told a United Press representative today. "I struck a promising lead late last night," said Wood. A relative of a high official in the brokerage business as a silent partner he alleges profited immensely by the advance information on the President's peace note. "I am not in position to reveal his name at present. I also know of a representative of this country in Europe who profited by this advance information."

ITALIAN CITIZENS RETURN THANKS

On behalf of the Italian citizens of Clearfield I wish to return thanks to the Harbison-Walker Refractories company for the generous way in which they treated their employees at Christmas time and generally. Especially do we wish to thank our generous superintendent, S. Tipton McClure. In addition to pay/g in gold for Christmas each man was presented with a handsome calendar and good cigar when he lined up for his pay. For these and many past favors this token of public appreciation is given.

Yours thankfully,
JOSEPH YAMANO

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HE DIDN'T HEAR IT FROM A DUTCHMAN

Sir: "While reading the Progress tonight, I saw a piece called British vs. Germans.

"I don't know who the writer was but I think he must have been listening to Fairy tales, and as for the poem, I heard it just the reverse; it finished something like this:

"England will be England
When Germany's busted up."

A READER.

COASTING ACCIDENTS

DuBois has had a fatal coasting accident, Osceola has lost a young life through the same cause and practically every town of any size in the state has reported deaths and broken limbs through coasters running into autos and telephone poles.

It seems as though there ought to be some solution of the problem which results every year in so many deaths. Some towns have ordinances forbidding the sport within the town limits but this is unfair. The children have a right to this sport. A few towns rope off certain streets when there is coasting and turn them over to the boys and girls in order that they might enjoy themselves with safety and grow to be strong and sturdy. Can we not do the same?

ALL A GUESS

Since Wilson's peace note was dispatched and Mr. Lansing attempted to explain its contents the nation has been thrown into a turmoil trying to figure out what it all means. The peace note fluttered down on us as the welcome little bird always does to lovers of peace, and while it was very acceptable to Germany who apparently welcomes "first aid", Britain and the other allies took it with a grain of salt. Lansing injected a little "pep" into the note by his explanation and kept explaining until the memory of the note recalls to us that it was simply another slip of paper.

Today a high official of Washington puts another construction on the note and tells us that it was for educational purposes. By it and the explanation thereof, a la Lansing, the American public are to be prepared for something stronger, intimating that a break with Germany is imminent. The explanation therefore is for home consumption and the "little dove" of a peace note is to go on to Europe on its merciful mission. Seems to us we remember another memorable note that was prepared for home consumption.

We may safely predict that it is all a guess. The moves of the administration will depend entirely upon the opportunities of the moment. Mr. Wilson is the most opportunist of opportunists.

TOTTERING

The effect of the peace note on the stock market was to be expected. One can readily understand how a stock can become worth ten times its par value in some business. Banking for instance, where convertible collateral and the hard cash backs up the value. Industrial stocks that raise for no other reason than that orders in hand with no assurance that these orders are to be repeated are not safe investments by any means. No stock can really be worth five or six times its value in so short a time as one year. Investors should consider that the value placed on these stocks is entirely of a speculative nature. The manner in which the peace move "bowled them over" is one of the best evidences that there is no tangible value

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Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

TO INTRODUCE 8 HOUR DAY AND HEALTH INSURANCE

Cincinnati, Dec. 26.—Plans for a big fight to get 8 hour day and health insurance legislation passed in every state legislature meeting in the United States next month will be drawn by the American Labor Legislation association which meets here tomorrow.

State commissions in Massachusetts and California now are investigating these two things and bills drafted by the association will be introduced in the various state legislatures.

Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, Miss Julia Lathrop of the Federal Children's bureau, Prof. John R. Commons of Wisconsin, and Rufus R. Motts of Springfield, Ill., will speak.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS FOR PRESIDENT

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Congratulatory messages are arriving at the White House from all parts of the United States and from foreign countries to remind President Wilson that tomorrow he will enter upon his sixtieth year. The President will spend his birthday anniversary quietly with his family, and no special observance of the day is planned.

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"THE STING OF VICTORY"

David Whiting belongs to a fine old aristocratic family of the south and is an officer in the United States army. He is a calm, wise, deliberate man, upright and just. He believes in the Union and is opposed to slavery. When the civil war breaks out he frees his personal slaves and joins his regiment to fight for the north.

His brother Walker is an honorable man, but hot-headed and impetuous. He joins the southern army, fighting against his brother. Edith Whiting, the sister, and her parents are extremely bitter over David's defection.

The play opens shortly before the civil war, when David is visiting his home with a friend and brother officer, Jack Spencer, who is engaged to Edith. Edith quarrels with Spencer over their difference in principles and returns the engagement ring. David is in love with Ruth Tyler, the girl who lives on a neighboring plantation.

During the war the Whiting family, deserted by the slaves, have a hard time to make ends meet, and borrow from a professional money-lender, Thomas Spicer, giving mortgages on their property. Spicer is anxious that his son be recognized by the better class of people. He is ambitious for him to marry Edith Whiting. Edith always spurns him, even though word reaches her that Spicer has been killed.

After the war David, now a colonel, returns to his home town with his troops as military commander of the district. He pays off the debts on the plantation and saves his sister from further humiliation at the hands of Spicer. A few days afterward Spicer is found murdered. Walker Whiting is found leaning over the body. A gun belonging to Walker is found by the man's side. It is well known that there was bitter feeling between Walker and Spicer, so he is arrested and accused of the murder. It devolves on David to court-martial and try his own brother. However, Rufus, a slave, confesses he killed Spicer because he once horsewhipped him.

Although David had done all of this and much more for his family, had restored order and saved the residence from great humiliation and outrage, both his family and all his old friends are still cold to him. The sting of victory comes when the woman he had long loved, Ruth Tyler, rejects him and throws herself into the arms of his brother. David has won the fight for his principles, but lost the girl.

At the Opera House Thursday evening.

"THE CLOSED ROAD"

Special Feature at the Globe Theatre Today

Dr. Hugh Annersley, working laboriously in his laboratory, assisted by Dr. Appledan, an old-school physician, has succeeded in finding a cure for cancer. Julia, Dr. Annersley's sister, comes home with Griswold, a former client of the doctor and whom he still owes money. Griswold did not enter the house, Annersley saying to Appledan, that if Griswold would pay him what he owes, he could then continue his work with the medical discovery.

Griswold now being attended by Appledan, Annersley decides to write him a letter, in which he states that unless he is paid within twenty-four hours, that he will go to Griswold's apartment to collect the account him-

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Appledan takes the letter to Griswold himself.

In giving medicine to Griswold, Appledan gives him an overdose, resulting in his sudden death. To ward off suspicion, Appledan places Annersley's letter threatening violence to Griswold, on the latter's table, and firing two shots out of a revolver, the aged doctor leaves the room.

When the police investigated, they found the revolver on the floor, and on it was carved Hugh Annersley's name. Circumstantial evidence in the form of the revolver and letter pointing to Annersley, he was placed under arrest charged with the murder.

Julia, calling upon Appledan, notices the old doctor laughing hysterically as Frank Sargeant, a well-to-do young man leaves his office. He tells Julia that he has just warned Sargeant he could not live more than a couple of months on account of the poor condition of his heart. With this knowledge, Julia starts in search of Sargeant and finds him in an old quarry just as he was to commit suicide. She persuades him to listen to her.

Come to the Globe tomorrow night and see how everything ends satisfactorily.

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ORIGIN OF PARTY EMBLEMS

Tom Nast of Harper's Magazine Given Credit for Introduction of Elephant, Tiger, Donkey, Etc.

Why, when and where did the elephant become the trade mark of the G. O. P.? This question propounded to a number of leading Republicans at a former national convention revealed the fact that few had any but the most hazy idea how or when the emblem came to be adopted, the New York Tribune observes.

Chauncey M. Depew, who is said to have attended every Republican gathering since 1856, said frankly that he didn't know, but he believed the elephant first appeared on the stage in the Harrison campaign of '88.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts answered: "If I were to make a guess I would lay the invention on Tom Nast of Harper's. I believe that the creation was the result of the adoption of the tiger by Tammany. We couldn't let them show us dust and we went right to their own territory, the jungle, and got the elephant to fight the tiger."

There appears to be evidence to support the belief that Nast created not only the elephant but also the tiger and the Democratic donkey as well. The caricaturist is said to have adopted the donkey in January, 1870, basing the selection on the Democratic party's reputed ability to do the wrong thing so carefully and persistently.

The tiger as an attribute of Tammany is shown by unofficial records to date from Tweed's downfall in 1871. Engine Company No. 9, of which Tweed had been a foreman, carried a stuffed tiger on its engine, though the reason is not now known.

So Nast, during the crusade against the Tweed ring, having in mind Tweed's connection both with the volunteer fire department and with Tammany, symbolized the latter in his cartoons as a tiger.

In November, 1874, it is related, the elephant was introduced by Nast to represent the Republican vote, which at that time appeared to be timid and unmanageable. For the same reason it became the party emblem soon after. The selection of the camel as the emblem of the Prohibitionists needs no explanation, bearing in mind that beast's well-known ability to go for a long time without a drink.

Harvard Students Who Work

Statistics show that more Harvard students have sought work while studying this year and fewer of the applicants have found it than previously. Earnings also have totaled a smaller amount. Such facts tell their own story of the effect of the war on the non-belligerents of a comparatively prosperous region of country. The list of callings to which the kids turn shows how versatile is the American youth and how he puts pride behind him if he foresees profit that spells tuition bills paid. There is no such word as "dgrading" in the lexicon of youth save in a moral sense. Many a Harvard man will take any job where either muscle or intelligence counts if the work is not intrinsically base. So will American college youth generally; and the course is made the easier for them because so invariably sanctioned by college and by public opinion.

WANTS

WANTED—A place to work, in a small family. To do general housework. Apply Miss Mary Jackson, New Millport, Pa., R. D. 1, Box 10.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Will pay good wages. Washing and ironing sent out. Call H. & C. 219. D. 27-28

WANTED—Man and wife. Men to act as night watchman and wife to act as pianist. Apply Clearfield Trust company. D. 27-28

MINERS WANTED — Will pay \$1.25 per ton. Call 385x or 648 x. H. & C. Phone. D. 1-4.

WANTED—To rent after January 1st a small furnished bedroom. Give location and yearly rental. Address box N. Clearfield, Pa. D. 28, 29

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I WANT TO RENT OR BUY a six or eight room house in First, Second or Third wards. Reply at once to Progress in care of M. D. 28-29

LOST—A black leather pocket book somewhere on Second or Market street, containing \$2.00. Finder will please return to Miss Mary Mitchell. D. 28-29

LOST—Child's muff lost on Pike avenue, under will please return to Commercial Printing Company and receive reward. D. 28-29

LOST—Somewhere between 2nd and 3rd wards, a silver mesh bag containing a sum of money. Finder kindly return to Progress office. D. 28-29

LOST—Hand bag containing a sum of money on the streets of Clearfield or on the N. Y. C. train that goes to Irvona. The name "Merrill" was written on a paper and was inside the bag. If found please return to the Progress or to Ethel Merrill, New Millport, R. F. D. D. 28-29

FOR SALE—A 75 pound second-hand refrigerator in fair condition, for \$3.00. Call Progress office 176.

FOR SALE—25 thorough bred white leghorn pullets. Must be sold at once in order to make good room. For further information inquire J. D. Ross, 210 West Fifth street or call H. & C. phone 155-3.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hummel and Mrs. Emmett Lease, of Martin street and Mrs. Jennie McNaull at Curwensville Sunday

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We also have several issues of high-grade industrial bonds, which we offer at attractive prices.

We shall be glad to advise you on the investment of your January dividends.

The County National Bank
OF CLEARFIELD

News of OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

Wedding bells will ring today.

Mrs. Amanda Laing was receiving medical treatment in Clearfield yesterday.

Miss Ruth Laporte is here from Pittsburgh for a few days to visit with her people.

Miss Ella Laing returned of Harrisburg this afternoon to resume the duties of her clerkship.

Mrs. Mary Zilloux, of Luthersburg, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Kester's Monday and Tuesday.

L. C. Mullin a young man from Bloomington fell on the icy road Tuesday while coming to this place and broke a wrist bone.

In the contest conducted by the Catholics for the benefit of their building fund the chair was won by a Miss Pifer of Grampian.

Curwensville merchants after the best trade they ever had began again last night to economize on the light question and left the streets in practical darkness.

Miss May Mallon leaves here tomorrow morning for New York where she will sail Saturday morning for France to take up her hospital work at Nacilly.

With only 9 orders issued for county relief during the year 1916 as compared with 14 during 1915 from Curwensville and vicinity shows that there is but very little real poverty among us.

A mother's meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Topic, "What Other Mothers Think and Teachers' associations are Doing." Leader Mrs. Nora Caldwell.

Mrs. Frank Arnold arrived home from Tennessee Monday night where she has spent several months with her daughter Alice, who accompanied her back as far as Clearfield, where she will visit with her husband's people for a few days.

At the home of Norman Shafer in township Monday thirty five members of that branch of the Norris family ate Christmas dinner together with Mrs. Sarah Norris of Franklin Grove, Ill., as the chief guest of honor and her daughter Lydia and son John from the same place.

The program given by the Baptist Sunday school in their church Monday night under the direction of Mrs. Guy B. Clark was one that entertained from start to finish and those who were fortunate enough to be present will long remember Mother Hubbard and all her little friends with Santa Claus, included, who helped to make it the success that it was.

OSCEOLA MILLS

Mrs. J. K. Milk of Bradlock is visiting at the home of J. E. Kolbenberg.

Maynard Whitney of Detroit, is spending the holidays with his parents here.

W. A. Hall and Fred Henry and family all of Lewistown are visiting relatives here this week.

Edward Grist, wife and two children of Lewistown are here visiting the former's parents.

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Mrs. William McFeeters and daughter Miss Stella are visiting William McFeeters at Pittsburgh.

H. A. McCordle bookkeeper for the Osceola Silica and Fire Brick Co. has gone to Burnside to visit his parents.

Dr. E. S. McKim one of our popular dentists has gone home to spend Christmas with his aged mother in New York.

Mrs. George Shaffer of Philadelphia is the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Hall. Mr. Shaffer will join her here on Sunday.

Among the young people who have come for the holidays we note Miss Hester and Rachel McLaren, Miss Miriam, Ellridge and Willard Brown and Miss Mary Moore.

Following their usual custom Baird Rickenbaugh & Co. presented each of their employees with a turkey for their Christmas dinner. It is needless to say the gift is much appreciated by the store force.

Special services appropriate to the Christmas season were held in all the churches on Sunday. Early in the evening pupils of the High School accompanied by some of the teachers sang Christmas carols on the streets and later in the evening the Osceola Cornet band played a number of sacred selections in different parts of town. The day was an ideal one and the reunion of families who have been separated for some time was greatly enjoyed by those who had that pleasure.

The first coasting accident of the season occurred yesterday morning when Adrian O'Neill the ten years old son of Thomas O'Neill ran into the automobile of R. P. D. Mail Carrier Homer Southard as he was passing out Lingle street. The boy was coasting on Trezilyny street which being very steep is seldom used by any conveyances but at the foot of the hill crosses the state road which is much used at this point. Coming down rapidly the unfortunate boy ran into the car, crushing his skull and was instantly killed.

John H. Burns, proprietor of the Decatur House died at his home in Decatur township on Sunday evening following a short illness of pneumonia. Deceased has been a resident of this place for many years and was at the time of his death a member of the school board in the township. Surviving him are the following children: Mrs. Frank Finnigan, Mrs. Howard Walters, Mrs. James Carroll, George, Samuel and John Jr., of Osceola, Mrs. Patrick McGowan, of Patton and Mrs. James Griffey of Houtzdale.

About five o'clock on Sunday evening the home and contents of Andrew Neiman, a Polish resident of Rush township at "Polly's Knob" about a mile south of town, was destroyed by fire, the owner perishing in the flames. As near as can be learned from the surviving members of the family, two sons who had left the house a short time before, claim that their father and another of their countrymen were the only ones in the house at the time of the fire. They claim the foreman of foul play and he has been arrested and locked up pending an investigation. The following children survive: Mrs. Charles Riley, of this place, and Mrs. Andrew Coleman, of Johnstown, besides a number of children at home, the youngest about ten years of age. The mother of the family died about two years ago. A load of "boozie" taken to the home on Friday played a part in the tragedy.

MORGAN RUN

Albert Powell was at Woodland on Monday.

Earl Smith was at C. E. Smeal's Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smeal, a fine girl baby.

William and Dan Holman were seen out for a sleigh ride Monday.

Harry Hoover and brother Daniel was at Blue Mail Monday evening.

Mrs. Hugh Kephert and family spent Monday with C. E. Smeal.

Jake Hains spent Sunday with Dan Smeal.

Len Bush was at Philipsburg Friday on business.

Ben Jarrett spent Saturday in Philipsburg.

Len Bush and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smeal.



He Touched the Mist With His Wand.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

WHEN THE SNOW AND THE SLEET COME DOWN

LAST evening the sleet had been falling very briskly, and the children watched it pattering down on the tin roof of the veranda until it grew too dark to see.

Jack and Evelyn could not agree on the difference between snow and sleet.

"What is it, daddy?" they asked, turning to their father.

"Now, I see, I am going to have to tell another story. Well, here goes," said he.

"Once way up in the sky there was a big white cloud. It was soft and fluffy, and when old Father Winter saw it he said,

"It's just the thing for a nice snowfall. I'll send Boreas, the north wind, up there. We'll have a nice snow which he touches all that white mist with his icy wand. The boys and girls have not been waiting, some coasting and the grown folks sleighing."

"Now that cloud did not like the idea of cold, blistering Boreas coming up there and tearing and whipping it into flakes.

"So the cloud made up its mind that it would hurry down to earth as a nice, soft rain, and it quickly rolled into drops as it heard Boreas come roaring along the sky."

"Boreas saw the cloud go pattering down in little drops of rain ahead, and you may be very clever," he cried, "but I think I can beat a rain cloud if I try."

"So Boreas dived down. He came rushing along, just as the rain ghost reached the earth, and instead of being that each drop was frozen into little ice balls to be tossed about and slammed into faces until the people who happened to be out in the storm cried aloud in pain.

"And instead of spreading over the earth in a nice white cover like swans down the little drops made just a dirty gray coat of ice on the ground, and every one slipped and scrambled over them, thinking carefully of the nice snow there might have been if the little drops had not been in such a hurry to get down to the earth."

"You see, my dears, when the vapor of which clouds are formed is chilled high in the air it comes down to us as lovely fluffy flakes, but when it starts down as rain and the drops are frozen before getting quite to the earth so that they are nothing but little ice balls we call it sleet."

"With a coat of sleet on the ground and snow over it we have a fine ground for coasting or sleighing, and I think by morning you will find the ground covered with snow, for it seems to be getting much colder."

Like New Velvet

That's what one lady said after I had cleaned a velvet suit for her. The "pile" stood up and had that "shimmery" look of new material. She was pleased. You will be, too, if you will bring in anything velvet to be cleaned.

A. G. BARTHOLOMEW
Market St., Clearfield, Pa.

Dan Smeal had the mules at Philipsburg Saturday to get them shod.

Charles Bush and wife and Dan Smeal and wife and daughter spent Christmas with Davy Jones and wife.

Miss Ruth Mills spent Sunday and Monday with friends at Clearfield.

Misses Gertrude and Alice McLaren were home for Christmas.

J. A. Mills and daughter Martha spent Christmas with James Kurtz of Blue Ball.

SAYS HOT WATER WASHES POISONS FROM THE LIVER

Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle, we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its sponge-like pores from clogging with indigestible material, sour bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, furred tongue, nasty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Sallow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver uncleanness. Your liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. Few know its function or how to release the dammed-up body waste, bile and toxins. Most folks resort to violent calomel, which is a dangerous, salivating chemical which can only be used occasionally because it accumulates in the tissues, also attacks the bones.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Limestone phosphate does not restrict the diet, use calomel, because it can not salivate, for it is harmless and you can eat anything afterwards. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, and any pharmacist will sell you a quartet pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and limestone phosphate cleans the stomach and refreshes the liver, keeps you feeling fit day in and day out.

Auto tops recovered, for \$500 and up. Call or phone A. Lea Hess, 15-17 South Fourth St. 27-3tp.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Alvin R. Beish, of West Decatur and Elizabeth Manes, of Wallacetown. Frederick S. Mullen, of Utahville and Edith U. Tickerhoof, of Rose Bud.

Harry A. Saltsman and Minnie A. Wilcox, both of Karthaus.

M. B. Ouden, of Sharon and Edna R. Kohlhepp, of DuBois.

Enloe H. Bell, of Akron, Ohio and Hazel L. Johnston, of Curry Run.

Scott J. Cohick, of Jersey Shore and Clara Gill, of Confort.

William W. Timblin and Norah Z. Wells, both of Huston township.

Eri S. Henry and Grace I. Harrier, both of Home Camp, Pa.

Lelix Coudriet and Fannie Coulton, both of LeContes Mills.

William Senger, of Clearfield and Hattie Joswick, of Alexandria, Ind.

Stephea Hale and Blanche Carey, both of Clearfield.

Joseph E. Besh, of Pike township and Sallie Robertson, of Clearfield.

T. A. Napp, of DuBois and Mary Christian, of Sabula.

Clarence M. Green, of DuBois and Grace L. Antos, of Boggs township.

Lloyd Urison, of Clearfield and Ethel Keller of Lawrence township.

Joseph P. Arnold and Clara B. Bookanise, both of Clearfield.

Magnus Conaway and Ella McKinn, both of Karthaus.

Burton Hummel of Morrisdale and Edith Kaylor, of West Decatur.

J. Carl Richards, of Lewistown and Addie McCracken, of Madera.

James E. Miller of Indiana, Helen Radcliffe, of Barnesboro.

Jacob S. Kline of Home Camp and Elsie M. Smith of Tyler.

John Delfoss and Clara B. Kidd, both of Smithmill.

Oliver P. Gates Jr., of Ball, W. V., and Ada E. Wade, of Cuba Mines, Pa.

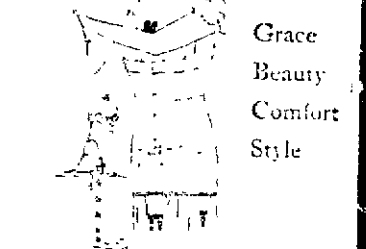
ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Alice Mocomochie of Carlisle and William H. Patterson Jr. of Clearfield was formally announced yesterday at Miss Mocomochie's home in Carlisle.

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The season's best styles at special reduced prices. Many Women and Girls have been waiting for this sale to buy their winter clothing, thus using their Christmas money to the best advantage and in a practical way

GOOD VALUE IN TAILORED SUITS

A hundred or more of women's and misses' suits in navy, green, brown, plum and black. Plain tailored and fur trimmed styles. Splendid savings on any of these suits.

NEW FURS AT VERY LOW PRICES

Jap, Nippon and genuine mink, black fox, black lynx, French and brown coney, black, brown and natural opossum, beavers, nutrice and skunk sables. Flat and ball shape muffs and large and small neckpieces.

WINTER COATS REDUCED

All the season's popular styles in this collection. Full flaring and belted styles in cheviots, wool velours, plushes and Bolivia cloth. Every coat reduced

SILK DRESSES REDUCED

Black and colors in brown, navy, green and plum. Also a few styles in serge dresses.

CHILDREN'S COATS

Zibeleins, wool plushes and cheviots in browns, greens and navy, in all sizes from 6 to 14. Reductions 1-4 to 1-3 less than original price.

MANY NEEDED THINGS FOR THE HOME

Can be purchased at a great saving during this After-Christmas sale.

LEITZINGER BROTHERS

HOCKEY SEASON OPENS IN CANADA

Montreal, Quebec Dec. 27.—What promises to be the most successful season in the history of the Canadian National Hockey association opens tonight and will continue until the first half will play off with the winners of the second half at the end of the season.

TO DEFINE PROSELYTING

New York, Dec. 27.—Many important subjects will come up for discussion at the eleventh annual convention of the National Collegiate Athletic association to be held at the time

the season. Thus a club which gets off to a poor start may have a good chance to win the championship.

Hotels A for tomorrow. Not the least interesting promises to be the discussion on proselyting, which will take up the evening session. The organization is opposed to proselyting according to its by-laws, but according to an announcement recently issued by the association, the application of the term is not clearly enough defined.

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Enough Christmas cash—did you have it?—for all the little things that give joy to your little ones. Determine you'll have more money in 1917—Join our

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Costs you nothing—instead we give you interest. Scores have shown their wisdom and foresight by joining. Number yourself among them. Ask or write for handsome circular and folder which give all details and answer your questions.

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TONIGHT

Chapter 9 of the great and glorious patriotic serial
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In 2 Reels

In this episode Miss Walcamp has a thrilling escape from death as she was caught under a falling horse

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Funny characters you see in the papers

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In 2 reels featuring Grace Darling and Harry Fox

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Comedy

First Show Starts at 7 O'clock.

Adults, 10 Cents.

Children, 5 Cents

TOMORROW

Henry B. Walthal in "THE STING OF VICTORY"

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mrs. J. A. Breath is visiting in

Patton.

Miss Helen Whiteman is spending a

few days with friends in Houtzdale.

Charlie Carrick and Miss Carrie

Carrick are spending the holidays

with their sister, Mrs. L. D. Jacobs

of West Fourth avenue.

Zane Woodring of Philipsburg and

Wilbur and Bud Wining of Port

Matilda attended the funeral of their

cousin Mrs. W. C. Miller yesterday.

H. L. Bowman, ex-county commis-

sioner who is employed at the West-

inghouse at Pittsburgh, spent Christ-

mas here.

Miss Pearl McMurray spent Christ-

mas with her sister in Punxsutawney.

Mr. and Mrs. James Quayle left to-

day for their home in Richland, N. Y.

Lynn Dorr is attending to business

in Mahaffey.

Miss Emma McDowell left today to

spend a few days with friends in Phil-

lipsburg.

Bill Hollenbach, of Philipsburg

spent the day with his sister Mrs.

Harry Brown.

William Hoover of Elmira, N. Y. is

visiting friends in Clearfield.

Chester Kerr of Boardman spent

Christmas with his brother Fred B.

Kerr.

Mrs. Daniel Buck returned this

morning to her home in Unionville

being called here on account of the

death of Mrs. W. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. King entertain-

ed at dinner on Christmas at their

home on Fifth street.

Carl Whiteman who is employed by

the Schenectady General Electric Co.

at Schenectady is spending a few

days with his parents Mr. and Mrs.

Horace Whiteman.

Mrs. W. A. Hagerty who has been

ill at her home on Pine street is con-

valescing.

Mrs. Nan Gray of Stormtown was

here to attend the funeral of Mrs.

Miller yesterday.

Frederick Gearhart and wife and

little son Mahlon, of Philipsburg

were here to spend Christmas with

Mr. and Mrs. George and sister on Wil-

liams street.

Miss Ella Goodfellow and Miss

Mary Lee left this morning for Ash-

ville, N. C. where they will spend the

winter.

Mrs. Carrie McNaull, of Curwens-

ville, was a Clearfield shopper Sat-

urday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bier of

Oakmont, Pa. are visiting Mrs. Bier's

parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Passmore re-

ceived a handsome Christmas present

Saturday in the shape of a fine big

girl baby, the first visit of the stork

in that family for a period of eight

years. Mother and babe are getting

along finely and Daddy Passmore is

ticked nearly to death at his good

fortune.

John Graham who attended the

Michigan Agricultural School at East

Lansing, Michigan is home for the

holidays.

Mrs. Harvey Hamilton of Bell's

Landing visited a few days this week

with her sister Mrs. Kelso at the

childrens home.

Famer County Commissioner C. P.

Rowles and son of O'anta were in

town on business today.

W. B. Duff, tax collector of Union-

town, transacted business in town

today.

Miss Margaret Wright, Physical

Director at the Y. M. C. A. at York

left today to resume her duties.

William Reed left last evening for

Butler having spent a few days here.

Miss Charlotte Hoyt is ill at her

home.

Miss Vera Ogden entertained thirty

guests last evening at a little inform-

al dance at her home on Ogden ave-

nuce. A Victrola furnished splendid

music for the dancers. A fine lunch

was served.

The members of the class of 1916

will hold a class reunion this evening

in the High School building. There

will be dancing and speeches by the

members.

Harry Hughes returned to his home

in Williamsport yesterday having

spent Christmas with relatives here.

William Orr and Mr. Mackey of

Glen Richey spent the day in Clear-

field.

Mr. and Mrs. Cohen and daughter

of New York are visiting Mr. Cohen's

daughter Mrs. Pollack.

Arthur Row of DuBois spent Christ-

mas with his parents.

Mrs. Charles Jacob and two sons of

DuBois are visiting relatives in town.

Milton Amos of Shawville was in

town on business today.

T. R. Beaton returned to Cleveland,

Ohio yesterday having spent Christ-

mas with his parent.

Miss Mary Dewey has returned to

her home in Tyrone after spending

Christmas here.

H. B. Douglas returned home this

morning from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills of Houtz-

dale attended the funeral of Mrs. W.

C. Miller.

Philip Dotts of Beccaria township,

was at the Court House on official

business today.

L. M. Impson, of Karthaus, was a

Clearfield visitor today.

Constable James Reese, of Kar-

thaus, had official and other business

in Clearfield today.

John Musser accidentally fell and

broke his arm at the Y. M. C. A. this

morning.

A. W. Leonardson and brother A. G.

Leonardson of DuBois left yesterday

for a business trip to New York.

Painful Explanations.

A man entered a Minneapolis saloon,

shoved a lap robe across the bar and

said: "How many drinks will you

give me on this?"

Patrolman Leaman who saw the

man enter the saloon followed and

placed Johnson under arrest. The

explanation as to the possession of

the lap robe evidently did not sound

convincing.

"Where did you say you got that

robe?" Judge Page asked the man,

who was haled into police court on a

charge of vagrancy.

"I met a young lad down here and

he gave it to me."

"What was his name?"

"I don't know his name."

"This man, a total stranger, walked

right up to you on the street and with-

out saying a word, handed you this lap

robe?"

"That's right," declared Johnson.

"Fifteen days," the judge ordered.

"Huh?"

"Thirty days," the judge said.

"I heard you the first time," said the

prisoner.

Teaching Birds Tricks.

A professor of natural history re-

futes the statement so frequently made

that teaching a bird to draw water

needs apparatus and that the learning

is cruelty to the bird.

"The following experience of mine,"

he says, "proves that it is not so by

any means. We bought a young bird

last January, so wild that on our ap-

proach it flew madly round the cage.

We hung the cage low and by patience,

after the bird got used to our proximi-

ty, induced it to take groundsel, first

held at stem's length, then between the

fingers, finally from the lips. We used

to let him out freely, and he would

perch on the leaf next me at break-

fast. His perch projected through the

whites, and here was his favorite seat

when at liberty. Then I tried hanging

a bit of groundsel by a short string to

the projecting stick. After inspection

he pulled it up with his beak. On

lengthening the string with a fresh

bit of his preferred weed I had the

pleasure and interest of seeing him

pull up the string with his beak till

the flower head was within reach,

catching the slack after each pull with

one foot and then transferring it to

the other, so that the coils were quite

neat."—London Globe.

Water Pressure.

As early as 1648 a Frenchman of

science named Pascal experimented

with pressures applied to liquids and

discovered the following law: A pres-

sure applied to any part of the sur-

face of a liquid is transmitted un-

changed in amount in every direction

through the liquid.

Perhaps the most familiar applica-

tion of Pascal's law is the hydraulic

press. In that machine a pump having

a small piston drives water into a large

cylinder and thereby forces upward a

large piston, which compresses what-

ever is placed between the platform of

the piston and the fixed crossbeam at

the top of the press. If the area of

the larger piston is 100 times that of

the smaller a downward force of one

pound exerted on the smaller piston

will create an upward force of 100

pounds upon the larger piston.

New Year Dance

There will be a Dance

at the Second Ward

Hose House on New

Year's evening.

GOOD STENOGRAPHERS

ARE SCARCE

A prominent Philadelphia

business man made the above

statement. There's a host of

half-way stenographers. There's

always a good position open for

the rapid accurate writer. We

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features eliminated. With this

system you can acquire speed

very quickly after you have

mastered the first principles.

There is so much more of a

future so much greater oppor-

tunity in the profession—so

many places where the ability

to write shorthand will lead to

a much higher position, that I

would be glad to have you call

Villa Through British Hopes to Align U.S. Against Carranza

His Next Objective is Tampico Where England Gets Her Oil Supply for Army and Naval Operations

VILLA IS STILL GATHERING STRENGTH

By Webb Miller
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
El Paso, Dec. 27.—That Villa's objective is Tampico and that the bandit leader is swiftly setting the stage for a storming of the Mexican seaport was the word received in reports by United States agents here today. Officials believe that Villa's object in taking Tampico to force international action by Carranza against the United States. Fuel for England comes from the oil fields in that region and Villa it is thought believes that England will force the United States government to act if their oil supply is cut off. In the absence of direct reports United States agents here believe Villa in all probability will move next on Monterey the only position of any importance lying between his present base Torreon and Tampico.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Two developments that closely followed each other today thrust the Mexican situation in

NEW MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENT

The Sportsman's Supply company is one of the newest mercantile establishments in Clearfield. The new firm is composed of J. Willard Chase and Robert Epton and succeeds to the business of Luther Hubler on Third street. Mr. Hubler has been running a sporting goods store at this location for the past three years and the young men mentioned have purchased and taken same over. Both are hustling and energetic and having already had considerable experience in the business will no doubt make a success of same.

They will handle everything in the sporting goods line and solicit a share of the trade.

Mr. Hubler intends embarking in the motorcycle business in Clearfield and will likely associate himself with one of the local automobile garages as he is an expert mechanic with a wide knowledge of the automobile game.

We wish the new firm every success.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TREAT CHILDREN

Clearfield Council, Knights of Columbus, played Santa Claus to the children of the parochial school at their club rooms on Market street Sunday afternoon. A huge Christmas tree and a real live Santa Claus were on the job and three hundred and fifteen pound boxes of delicious candy were handed out to that many delighted youngsters. It was a particularly pleasant occasion.

New Years dance at the Dimeling. Music by Nassakoff-Maggia Russian orchestra, of Pittsburgh. Subscription \$2.00 D27-5t

One Hundred and Fifty Guests Attend Last Night's Charity Ball

Many out of Town People Present to Enjoy Music of the Wallace Orchestra

The annual charity ball under the auspices of the Junior Auxiliary was held last evening in the ball room of the Dimeling hotel.

About one hundred and fifty guests and visitor danced to the beautiful strains of the Wallace Orchestra. A cotillon dance was the special feature of the evening. Red Christmas bells decorated the hall.

At midnight a delicious buffet lunch was prepared by the auxiliary and served in the dining room of the hotel.

Those from out of town who attended the dance were: Helen Wrigley of Mahaffey, Edith and Alice Patton of Curwensville; W. McKee of Lumbertown; M. A. Walter of Mt. Carmel; James Kerr of Syracuse; John

in turmoil. First, word reached the state department that unrest in Northern Mexico is growing. Second, Secretary of the Interior Lane has issued a call for a conference of the American members of the American-Mexican commission "at some early date" probably this week. Up until noon the troops withdrawal protocol agreed upon by the commission has not been received from Carranza. Information has reached the state department that large troops of bandits are on the rampage and that the "situation is such as to give the state department fresh concern." The state department newspaper conference this morning centered chiefly in the discussion of Mexican matters. The department stated that Villa is setting large supplies of ammunition from across the American border but just how the department does not know. It stated that conditions were the same as they were a few months ago when Carranza characterized them as "deplorable."

SENATOR'S DAUGHTER TO BE A BRIDE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Miss Julia Williams, daughter of Senator and Mrs. John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, and Thomas Rives Boykin of Savannah, Ga., whose engagement has attracted much attention in Washington society, are to have a quiet home wedding at the Washington residence of the bride's parents tomorrow evening. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Andrew R. Bird of the Second Presbyterian church. Miss Williams will be unattended and Mr. Boykin will have as his best man his brother, John K. Boykin, of Savannah.

TAFT AND NAGLE TO SPEAK

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 27.—Former President Taft and former Secretary of Commerce Nagle are scheduled among the prominent speakers who are to address the tenth annual Cosmopolitan Clubs' convention, which assembled at Yale today for a three-day session. The purpose of the convention is an enlargement upon the aim of the separate clubs in colleges and universities of the United States, namely, the promotion of a better understanding based upon friendship between men of different nationalities. Thirty of the leading colleges and universities of the country are represented.

MICHIGAN N. G. DISAPPOINTED

El Paso, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—After all preparations were made today to entrain for home orders were given to the 11th Michigan national guard that would not entrain at once. No reasons were given for the change. The baggage cars were all ready.

JAP STEAMER AGROUND

Tokio, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—The steamship, Sankaku Maru is aground off Chefoo with her crew and passengers totaling 400. The position of the vessel today was said to be "hopeless." Two Americans are among the Sankaku Maru's passengers. Chefoo is a Chinese port in the province of Shantung separated from Port Arthur by the Yellow Sea.

Best of custom coal. Prompt delivery. C. B. Graham, H. & C. toll. D21-6tp.

OUR CHRISTMAS WAS REAL HAPPY OCCASION

None Forgotten; Peace, Good Will and Christian Charity Order of the Day

"HELLO GIRLS" RECEIVE BONUS

This Christmas was a particularly happy one in Clearfield and no where was this happiness more radiant and joyous than about the pleasant quarters of the "hello girls" at the Huntington and Clearfield telephone exchange, where each girl received her first handsome remembrance under the bonus system introduced by this company when the new schedule of hours and compensation was put in effect some three months ago.

Each girl received a check calling for a per centage of her monthly salary and all were extremely grateful for the generosity of the company.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles one of the leading fraternal organizations of the town, which annually remembers those left behind by brother members who have gone from among us, gave a two and one half dollar gold piece to each of twenty widows whose husbands were members of the order at the time of their deaths.

In this connection it might be well to add, following out the good things said about the different fraternal societies by one of the lecturers during Institute week, that the Fraternal Order of Eagles since their institution in Clearfield on August 10th, 1904, have distributed, to its members in the way of benefits and to charities of different kinds and character the handsome total sum of \$16,571.28, a most remarkable showing.

The Elks, Moose and a number of other fraternal organizations dispensed their charities with a lavish hand, while the different church organizations and our charitably disposed private citizens searched out the few dark corners and saw that a large measure of Christmas cheer was dispensed to every individual within our borders.

The day was ideal as to weather conditions and God's sunshine was reflected in and from the hearts of all our people, who carried out perfectly the divine "peace and good will" command to its fullest extent.

Everybody enjoyed themselves to their heart's content and so far as it was possible to determine not a single infraction of any law occurred and the police were allowed to rest and enjoy the day without a single call for their services.

In addition to the bonus received

FRANCE HONORS AMERICAN BOY FOR BRAVERY ON FIELD.



NORMAN C. LEE

Norman C. Lee, son of Albert Lee, editor of Vanity Fair, has shown the kind of staff those American boys who do not fear war are made of. He went to the Verdun front Dec. 8, as a driver in the American Ambulance Corps, and less than two weeks later he received the medal of honor. On a road swept by German shells he carried an unconscious ambulance driver one mile to save his life. His own auto had been overturned by a shell. Before he went to war he was a student in Phillips Exeter Academy.

Pancoast Verdict Finally Set Aside

Supreme Court Says: Man Hurt by Brick Can't Recover

Philadelphia, Dec. 27.—Judgment of the western district court in favor of the Fidelity Title & Trust company, administrator of Vernon W. Pancoast, and against the DuBois Electric company, was reversed today in an opinion filed by Judge McPherson, of the United States circuit court of Appeals. Pancoast was injured by the fall of a political banner stretched across the street in the borough of DuBois.

The accident for which the verdict was secured occurred in the fall of 1912. A political banner bearing Taft and Sherman pictures, was anchored around a chimney of the Commercial hotel. During a severe windstorm the banner blew down, carrying several bricks from the chimney of the Commercial. One of these bricks struck Vernon Pancoast on the head, severely injuring him. He subsequently died and the later suits were carried on by his widow.

The late A. L. Cole of Clearfield, was the attorney for the defense, while L. D. McCall of DuBois, and Attorney Jones of Pittsburgh, looked after the interests of the plaintiff.

The case was tried four times. The first time a verdict of \$10,000, was returned against the City of DuBois. The city was found not to be liable and then suit was brought against the electric company and on that trial resulted in a verdict for plaintiff for \$8,000, and it was this verdict that was set aside.

Fatal Coasting Accident at DuBois

Fourteen Year Old Boy Rides Under Street Cars and is Killed

The first fatal coasting accident this winter in DuBois happened yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock when William Cowie, the 14 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cowie, of South Brady street, was almost instantly killed when he rode a sled under one of the heavy suburban street cars, bound for Skysville, at the junction of Denton street and Dixon avenue, Sandy township. The front wheels of the car passed over the boy's body, which was caught under the car in such a manner that

he could not be released. The injured boy was still living when taken from under the car, and was at once rushed to the hospital, but died in five minutes after his arrival there.

from the company all the girls received handsome remembrances from the patrons of the H. & C. and this thoughtfulness and appreciation added much to the joy of the recipients.

FORMER JEFFERSON COUNTY WOMAN DEAD

Mrs. A. W. Adam, mother of Alex Adam, of the Gould Shoe store, and a former resident of this section who was well known in the Beechwoods section, died last Friday in Denver, Colo.

Death was due to the decline attendant to advancing years and came after an illness of several months. The deceased was 78 years of age and had resided in Brockwayville and Beechwoods until six years ago when she went West.

The deceased is survived by seven sons and one daughter as follows, James, of Sayre, Pa.; William, of Waverly, N. Y.; A. W., of Trinidad, Colo.; Thomas F., of Reynoldsville, Pa.; G. R. Adam, of Brockwayville; Mrs. Edward Mackley, of Denver, Colo., where death occurred; Alexander of Clearfield, and John, of Fort Collins, Colo.

The remains will arrive at Brockwayville on Friday morning and will be buried from the home of G. R. Adam of Saturday morning, interment to be made in the Beechwoods cemetery.

Hear John Tyler at the PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 7:30 TO-NIGHT

LICENSE COURT WILL BE HELD JAN. 15TH

Ninety-seven Applications are Filed and "Dry" Federation Getting Ready for Scrap

THIRTEEN NEW APPLICATIONS

License court will be held Monday January 15th this year. The list of license applications will be published by order of court this week.

There are 79 hotel applications; 15 wholesales and 3 breweries. All the present license holders are applying together with the following new ones:

Hotels:
Morris McKay, Brislin borough.
George McMullen, Grampian borough.
Albert Kasubiek, Houtzdale borough.
Joseph Buranosky, Ramey borough.
J. C. Willard, Troutville borough.
S. M. Knarr, Troutville borough.
Joseph Lomier, Beccaria township.
D. A. Strayer, Beccaria township.
Thomas F. McLaughlin, Cooper township.
R. E. Giles, Cooper township.
Herbert Shuttleworth and George W. Fox, Gulch township.
John J. Devine, Huston township.

Wholesales:
A. J. Harber, Beccaria township.

The Clearfield County Dry Federation will make a determined fight against the granting of all licenses. The district executive committee the six chairmen of which were recently appointed by President Reitz, of DuBois are actively at work circulating, remonstrances and mapping out plans for the battle which will be waged during the license hearings.

One of the applicants, John H. Burns, of Decatur, died since filing his petition for license.

Location of Farm Loan Banks is Announced

140 Cities Applying are Among the Disappointed

Washington, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—The federal farm loan board today announced the following cities in which farm loan banks are to be located: Springfield, Mass, Baltimore, Columbia S. C.; Louisville, New Orleans, St. Louis, St. Paul, Omaha, Wichita, Houston, Berkeley, Spokane. 140 cities applying were disappointed.

MAYOR WHO DEFIED COURTS TO GET COAL FOR POOR



MAYOR J. MACVICAR

Charging that some of the twenty coal mines near Des Moines restricted production to keep up prices, Mayor John MacVicar seized several wagon loads from a coal company for poor persons who said they had been unable to buy coal while the thermometer was 14 degrees below zero. He was stopped in his first raid by an injunction of a court. Then he went into hiding, so he could not be served again and he made arrangements for a raid on another company's coal supply. He said he took this action because there was a public necessity.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Revised surveys are being conducted in the Pleasant Valley U. B. church by the past or Rev. L. W. Graham over and help us.

New Construction is Put on Purp of Wilson Peace Note

Dispatches Show That Allies Will Certainly Refuse to Accept Proposal of Germany for Meeting

SWEDEN IN ACCORD WITH PEACE NOTE

One high official today told the United Press that there would be no more note writing and that if anything more developed in the Arabia, Marina and other cases it was clear that Germany had broken her pledges. This will have some bearing if Germany starts a new submarine campaign.

In this connection it was said that President Wilson's "peace" note and Secretary Lansing's subsequent "verge of war" statement were in measure educational so that the country would not wonder what it was all about if matters came to a breaking point. Some state that there will be a break with Germany if present negotiations fail but others have pointed out that the President has placed himself in the position of a potential mediator and cannot fail unless his ideas are knocked down hard.

Sweden has thrown its influence into the scales for peace along with the United States and Switzerland according to dispatches to the London Daily Telegraph today. These said that a note identical to that of Switzerland had been forwarded from Stockholm to the belligerent capitals. In Washington a general hopelessness for peace prevailed owing to Germany's suggestion of a round table conference. The President it was said desired to offset the necessity of putting through his Sussex note with the possibility of a break with Germany.

reference. The Teutonic reply was held here, however, as giving England and her allies a special chance to optimize their aims and ideals in a statement to the world.

THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

The finishing of the interior of the new High School building is being completed as rapidly as Contractor Lukens and his hustling crew can do the work and the handsome new building is a busy place these days. It was expected that a part of the new building would be ready for occupancy following the Christmas holidays, but it was found to be impossible to get it ready at such time, the delay being occasioned by failure to receive the blackboards and other material needed.

It is expected that this part of the building will be ready by February 1st.

FOR GOAT-RUNNING CHAMPIONSHIP

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 27.—In the first of four championship trials for the goat running championship, the winner was declared today. The trial was held at the fair grounds and was won by Rev. B. J. Shaw, of Clearfield. The trial was won by a narrow margin and the church was used for the trial. The winner was expected to make a name for himself in Clearfield. Best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

MARRIED IN CUMBERLAND

Miss Ruth Hahney of Indiana and J. R. Lynch, of Titusville, surprised their friends by quietly slipping away and getting married. Miss Lynch was formerly a Clearfield girl and has been for the past two years in training at the South Side hospital of Pittsburgh. Mr. Lynch is one of Titusville's most popular young men. He is at present physical instructor of the Y. M. C. A. of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry, of Mt. Zion spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shaw.

Peace Note "Leak" Traced by Rep. Wood Into Diplomatic Circles

Relative of High Official Interested in Brokerage Business Profited Immensely

Washington, Dec. 27.—(By United Press)—Representative Wood's search for information regarding the leak to Wall street of advance information on President Wilson's peace note led him into diplomatic circles and into the homes of relatives of officials high in the administration, he told a United Press representative today. "I struck a promising lead late last night," said Wood. A relative of a high official in the brokerage business as a silent partner he alleges profited immensely by the advance information on the President's peace note. "I am not in position to reveal his name at present. I also know of a representative of this country in Europe who profited by this advance information."

ITALIAN CITIZENS RETURN THANKS

On behalf of the Italian citizens of Clearfield I wish to return thanks to the Harbison-Walker Refractories company for the generous way in which they treated their employees at Christmas time and generally. Especially do we wish to thank our generous superintendent, S. Tipton McClure. In addition to pay/g in gold for Christmas each man was presented with a handsome calendar and good cigar when he lined up for his pay. For these and many past favors this token of public appreciation is given.

Yours thankfully,
JOSEPH YAMANO

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HE DIDN'T HEAR IT FROM A DUTCHMAN

Sir: "While reading the Progress tonight, I saw a piece called British vs. Germans.

"I don't know who the writer was but I think he must have been listening to Fairy tales, and as for the poem, I heard it just the reverse; it finished something like this:

"England will be England
When Germany's busted up."

A READER.

COASTING ACCIDENTS

DuBois has had a fatal coasting accident, Osceola has lost a young life through the same cause and practically every town of any size in the state has reported deaths and broken limbs through coasters running into autos and telephone poles.

It seems as though there ought to be some solution of the problem which results every year in so many deaths. Some towns have ordinances forbidding the sport within the town limits but this is unfair. The children have a right to this sport. A few towns rope off certain streets when there is coasting and turn them over to the boys and girls in order that they might enjoy themselves with safety and grow to be strong and sturdy. Can we not do the same?

ALL A GUESS

Since Wilson's peace note was dispatched and Mr. Lansing attempted to explain its contents the nation has been thrown into a turmoil trying to figure out what it all means. The peace note fluttered down on us as the welcome little bird always does to lovers of peace, and while it was very acceptable to Germany who apparently welcomes "first aid", Britain and the other allies took it with a grain of salt. Lansing injected a little "pep" into the note by his explanation and kept explaining until the memory of the note recalls to us that it was simply another slip of paper.

Today a high official of Washington puts another construction on the note and tells us that it was for educational purposes. By it and the explanation thereof, a la Lansing, the American public are to be prepared for something stronger, intimating that a break with Germany is imminent. The explanation therefore is for home consumption and the "little dove" of a peace note is to go on to Europe on its merciful mission. Seems to us we remember another memorable note that was prepared for home consumption.

We may safely predict that it is all a guess. The moves of the administration will depend entirely upon the opportunities of the moment. Mr. Wilson is the most opportunist of opportunists.

TOTTERING

The effect of the peace note on the stock market was to be expected. One can readily understand how a stock can become worth ten times its par value in some business. Banking for instance, where convertible collateral and the hard cash backs up the value. Industrial stocks that raise for no other reason than that orders in hand with no assurance that these orders are to be repeated are not safe investments by any means. No stock can really be worth five or six times its value in so short a time as one year. Investors should consider that the value placed on these stocks is entirely of a speculative nature. The manner in which the peace move "bowled them over" is one of the best evidences that there is no tangible value

CLEARFIELD BOROUGH BONDS

We own and offer to conservative investors—

BOROUGH OF CLEARFIELD 4 1-2s
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at prices to yield 4 1-4 per cent.

We also have several issues of high-grade industrial bonds, which we offer at attractive prices.

We shall be glad to advise you on the investment of your January dividends.

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OF CLEARFIELD**

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Don't bring that order—don't send that order, but 'phone it. We will deliver anything anywhere, any time that you say, and with no extra cost to you. Telephone trading is the easy shopping method. We will do our part, if you will do yours. Send us the orders, we will fill them.

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Dooley's Drug Store

Cor. Market and 3rd Sts.

back of them. Millions of dollars were lost on that one day and it all came about through a possible or probable change of conditions.

We do not expect to see an immediate peace in Europe but if it should come the much vaunted prosperity of the United States would prove its mushroom existence and stocks will fall and fortunes will be lost. We may think that it is no concern of ours if somebody who has money invested loses it so long as ours is not invested. We should not forget that all will suffer. One man's adversity affects another.

EASY TO DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

You can Bring Back Color and Lustre with Sage Tea and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For 550 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

TO INTRODUCE 8 HOUR DAY AND HEALTH INSURANCE

Cincinnati, Dec. 26.—Plans for a big fight to get 8 hour day and health insurance legislation passed in every state legislature meeting in the United States next month will be drawn by the American Labor Legislation association which meets here tomorrow.

State commissions in Massachusetts and California now are investigating these two things and bills drafted by the association will be introduced in the various state legislatures.

Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, Miss Julia Lathrop of the Federal Children's bureau, Prof. John R. Commons of Wisconsin, and Rufus R. Motts of Springfield, Ill., will speak.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS FOR PRESIDENT

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—Congratulatory messages are arriving at the White House from all parts of the United States and from foreign countries to remind President Wilson that tomorrow he will enter upon his sixtieth year. The President will spend his birthday anniversary quietly with his family, and no special observance of the day is planned.

GO NO FARTHER

The Evidence Is At Your Door
Clearfield proof is what you want and the statement of this highly respected resident will banish all doubt:

Mrs. M. M. Condon, 206 Merrill St., Clearfield, says: "I have a very lame back and suffered for a long time from distressing backaches. It hurt me awfully to stoop or lift and I couldn't rest at night. My kidneys bothered me greatly also. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved the lameness in my back and regulated the action of my kidneys." (Statement given June 28, 1912.)

No Trouble Since.
On December 7, 1915, Mrs. Condon said: "I have had no kidney trouble at all lately and feel confident that Doan's Kidney Pills cured me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Condon has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.



"THE STING OF VICTORY"

David Whiting belongs to a fine old aristocratic family of the south and is an officer in the United States army. He is a calm, wise, deliberate man, upright and just. He believes in the Union and is opposed to slavery. When the civil war breaks out he frees his personal slaves and joins his regiment to fight for the north.

His brother Walker is an honorable man, but hot-headed and impetuous. He joins the southern army, fighting against his brother. Edith Whiting, the sister, and her parents are extremely bitter over David's defection.

The play opens shortly before the civil war, when David is visiting his home with a friend and brother officer, Jack Spencer, who is engaged to Edith. Edith quarrels with Spencer over their difference in principles and returns the engagement ring. David is in love with Ruth Tyler, the girl who lives on a neighboring plantation.

During the war the Whiting family, deserted by the slaves, have a hard time to make ends meet, and borrow from a professional money-lender, Thomas Spicer, giving mortgages on their property. Spicer is anxious that his son be recognized by the better class of people. He is ambitious for him to marry Edith Whiting. Edith always spurns him, even though word reaches her that Spicer has been killed.

After the war David, now a colonel, returns to his home town with his troops as military commander of the district. He pays off the debts on the plantation and saves his sister from further humiliation at the hands of Spicer. A few days afterward Spicer is found murdered. Walker Whiting is found leaning over the body. A gun belonging to Walker is found by the man's side. It is well known that there was bitter feeling between Walker and Spicer, so he is arrested and accused of the murder. It devolves on David to court-martial and try his own brother. However, Rufus, a slave, confesses he killed Spicer because he once horsewhipped him.

Although David had done all of this and much more for his family, had restored order and saved the residence from great humiliation and outrage, both his family and all his old friends are still cold to him. The sting of victory comes when the woman he had long loved, Ruth Tyler, rejects him and throws herself into the arms of his brother. David has won the fight for his principles, but lost the girl.

At the Opera House Thursday evening.

"THE CLOSED ROAD"

Special Feature at the Globe Theatre Today

Dr. Hugh Annersley, working laboriously in his laboratory, assisted by Dr. Appledan, an old-school physician, has succeeded in finding a cure for cancer. Julia, Dr. Annersley's sister, comes home with Griswold, a former client of the doctor and whom he still owes money. Griswold did not enter the house, Annersley saying to Appledan, that if Griswold would pay him what he owes, he could then continue his work with the medical discovery.

Griswold now being attended by Appledan, Annersley decides to write him a letter, in which he states that unless he is paid within twenty-four hours, that he will go to Griswold's apartment to collect the account himself.

OUCH! LUMBAGO! RUB PAINS FROM SORE, LAME BACK

Rub Backache away with small trial bottle of old penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil."

Back hurt you? San't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back and out comes the pain. It is harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years.

Appledan takes the letter to Griswold himself.

In giving medicine to Griswold, Appledan gives him an overdose, resulting in his sudden death. To ward off suspicion, Appledan places Annersley's letter threatening violence to Griswold, on the latter's table, and firing two shots out of a revolver, the aged doctor leaves the room.

When the police investigated, they found the revolver on the floor, and on it was carved Hugh Annersley's name. Circumstantial evidence in the form of the revolver and letter pointing to Annersley, he was placed under arrest charged with the murder.

Julia, calling upon Appledan, notices the old doctor laughing hysterically as Frank Sargeant, a well-to-do young man leaves his office. He tells Julia that he has just warned Sargeant he could not live more than a couple of months on account of the poor condition of his heart. With this knowledge, Julia starts in search of Sargeant and finds him in an old quarry just as he was to commit suicide. She persuades him to listen to her.

Come to the Globe tomorrow night and see how everything ends satisfactorily.

WANTED

Mine posts and ties of various sizes. Shipments may commence at once and continue over a period of three or four months. Write stating quantity you can furnish, when you could start shipping and quote best prices F. O. B. your loading point (naming the same). Quick cash settlements. Address Box 67, Uniontown, Pa.

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ORIGIN OF PARTY EMBLEMS

Tom Nast of Harper's Magazine Given Credit for Introduction of Elephant, Tiger, Donkey, Etc.

Why, when and where did the elephant become the trade mark of the G. O. P.? This question propounded to a number of leading Republicans at a former national convention revealed the fact that few had any but the most hazy idea how or when the emblem came to be adopted, the New York Tribune observes.

Chauncey M. Depew, who is said to have attended every Republican gathering since 1856, said frankly that he didn't know, but he believed the elephant first appeared on the stage in the Harrison campaign of '88.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts answered: "If I were to make a guess I would lay the invention on Tom Nast of Harper's. I believe that the creation was the result of the adoption of the tiger by Tammany. We couldn't let them show us dust and we went right to their own territory, the jungle, and got the elephant to fight the tiger."

There appears to be evidence to support the belief that Nast created not only the elephant but also the tiger and the Democratic donkey as well. The cartoonist is said to have adopted the donkey in January, 1870, basing the selection on the Democratic party's reputed ability to do the wrong thing so carefully and persistently.

The tiger as an attribute of Tammany is shown by unofficial records to date from Tweed's downfall in 1871. Engine Company No. 9, of which Tweed had been a foreman, carried a stuffed tiger on its engine, though the reason is not now known.

So Nast, during the crusade against the Tweed ring, having in mind Tweed's connection both with the volunteer fire department and with Tammany, symbolized the latter in his cartoons as a tiger.

In November, 1874, it is related, the elephant was introduced by Nast to represent the Republican vote, which at that time appeared to be timid and unmanageable. For the same reason it became the party emblem soon after. The selection of the camel as the emblem of the Prohibitionists needs no explanation, bearing in mind that beast's well-known ability to go for a long time without a drink.

Harvard Students Who Work

Statistics show that more Harvard students have sought work while studying this year and fewer of the applicants have found it than previously. Earnings also have totaled a smaller amount. Such facts tell their own story of the effect of the war on the non-belligerents of a comparatively prosperous region of country. The list of callings to which the kids turn shows how versatile is the American youth and how he puts pride behind him if he foresees profit that spells tuition bills paid. There is no such word as "dgrading" in the lexicon of youth save in a moral sense. Many a Harvard man will take any job where either muscle or intelligence counts if the work is not intrinsically base. So will American college youth generally; and the course is made easier for them because so invariably sanctioned by college and by public opinion.

WANTS

WANTED—A place to work, in a small family. To do general housework. Apply Miss Mary Jackson, New Millport, Pa., R. D. 1, Box 10.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Will pay good wages. Washing and ironing sent out. Call H. & C. 219. D. 27-28

WANTED—Man and wife. Men to act as night watchman and wife to act as pianist. Apply Clearfield Trust company. D. 27-28

MINERS WANTED — Will pay \$1.25 per ton. Call 385x or 448 x. H. & C. Phone. D. 1-4.

WANTED—To rent after January 1st a small furnished bedroom. Give location and yearly rental. Address box N. Clearfield, Pa. D. 28, 29

WANTED—A good porter. Must have references. Call H. & C. telephone or apply at Central Hotel, Clearfield, Pa. D. 28-29

I WANT TO RENT OR BUY a six or eight room house in First, Second or Third wards. Reply at once to Progress in care of M. D. 28-29

LOST—A black leather pocket book somewhere on Second or Market street, containing \$2.00 dollars. Finder will please return to Miss Mary Mitchell. D. 28-29

LOST—Child's muff lost on Thompson avenue, under will please return to Commercial Printing Company and receive reward. D. 28-29

LOST—Somewhere between 2nd and 3rd streets, a silver mesh bag containing a sum of money. Finder kindly return to Progress office. D. 28-29

LOST—Hand bag containing a sum of money on the streets of Clearfield or on the N. Y. C. train that goes to Irvona. The name "Merrill" was written on a paper and was inside the bag. If found please return to the Progress or to Ethel Merrill, New Millport, R. F. D. D. 28-29

FOR SALE—A 75 pound second-hand refrigerator in fair condition, for \$3.00. Call Progress office 176. D. 28-29

FOR SALE—25 thorough bred white leghorn pullets. Must be sold at once in order to make good room. For further information inquire J. D. Ross, 210 West Fifth street or call H. & C. phone 155-3. D. 28-29

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hummel and Mrs. Emmett Lease, of Martin street and Mrs. Jennie McNaull at Clearfield Sunday

OYSTERS

Fresh Everyday

Clearfield Produce Market
THORN BROS.

News of OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

Wedding bells will ring today.

Mrs. Amanda Laing was receiving medical treatment in Clearfield yesterday.

Miss Ruth Laporte is here from Pittsburgh for a few days to visit with her people.

Miss Ella Laing returned of Harrisburg this afternoon to resume the duties of her clerkship.

Mrs. Mary Zilloux, of Luthersburg, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Kester's Monday and Tuesday.

L. C. Mullin a young man from Bloomington fell on the icy road Tuesday while coming to this place and broke a wrist bone.

In the contest conducted by the Catholics for the benefit of their building fund the chair was won by a Miss Pifer of Grampian.

Curwensville merchants after the best trade they ever had began again last night to economize on the light question and left the streets in practical darkness.

Miss May Mallon leaves here tomorrow morning for New York where she will sail Saturday morning for France to take up her hospital work at Nacilly.

With only 9 orders issued for county relief during the year 1916 as compared with 14 during 1915 from Curwensville and vicinity shows that there is but very little real poverty among us.

A mother's meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Topic, "What Other Mothers Think and Teachers' associations are Doing." Leader Mrs. Nora Caldwell.

Mrs. Frank Arnold arrived home from Tennessee Monday night where she has spent several months with her daughter Alice, who accompanied her back as far as Clearfield, where she will visit with her husband's people for a few days.

At the home of Norman Shafer in township Monday thirty five members of that branch of the Norris family ate Christmas dinner together with Mrs. Sarah Norris of Franklin Grove, Ill., as the chief guest of honor and her daughter Lydia and son John from the same place.

The program given by the Baptist Sunday school in their church Monday night under the direction of Mrs. Guy B. Clark was one that entertained from start to finish and those who were fortunate enough to be present will long remember Mother Hubbard and all her little friends with Santa Claus, included, who helped to make it the success that it was.

OSCEOLA MILLS

Mrs. J. K. Milk of Bradlock is visiting at the home of J. E. Kolbenberg.

Maynard Whitney of Detroit, is spending the holidays with his parents here.

W. A. Hall and Fred Henry and family all of Lewistown are visiting relatives here this week.

Edward Grist, wife and two children of Lewistown are here visiting the former's parents.

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Mrs. William McFeeters and daughter Miss Stella are visiting William McFeeters at Pittsburgh.

H. A. McCordle bookkeeper for the Osceola Silica and Fire Brick Co. has gone to Burnside to visit his parents.

Dr. E. S. McKim one of our popular dentists has gone home to spend Christmas with his aged mother in New York.

Mrs. George Shaffer of Philadelphia is the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Hall. Mr. Shaffer will join her here on Sunday.

Among the young people who have come for the holidays we note Miss Hester and Rachel McLaren, Miss Miriam, Ellridge and Willard Brown and Miss Mary Moore.

Following their usual custom Baird Rickenbaugh & Co. presented each of their employees with a turkey for their Christmas dinner. It is needless to say the gift is much appreciated by the store force.

Special services appropriate to the Christmas season were held in all the churches on Sunday. Early in the evening pupils of the High School accompanied by some of the teachers sang Christmas carols on the streets and later in the evening the Osceola Cornet band played a number of sacred selections in different parts of town. The day was an ideal one and the reunion of families who have been separated for some time was greatly enjoyed by those who had that pleasure.

The first coasting accident of the season occurred yesterday morning when Adrian O'Neill the ten years old son of Thomas O'Neill ran into the automobile of R. P. D. Mail Carrier Homer Southard as he was passing out Lingle street. The boy was coasting on Trezilyny street which being very steep is seldom used by any conveyances but at the foot of the hill crosses the state road which is much used at this point. Coming down rapidly the unfortunate boy ran into the car, crushing his skull and was instantly killed.

John H. Burns, proprietor of the Decatur House died at his home in Decatur township on Sunday evening following a short illness of pneumonia. Deceased has been a resident of this place for many years and was at the time of his death a member of the school board in the township. Surviving him are the following children: Mrs. Frank Finnigan, Mrs. Howard Walters, Mrs. James Carroll, George, Samuel and John Jr., of Osceola, Mrs. Patrick McGowan, of Patton and Mrs. James Griffey of Houtzdale.

About five o'clock on Sunday evening the home and contents of Andrew Neiman, a Polish resident of Rush township at "Polly's Knob" about a mile south of town, was destroyed by fire, the owner perishing in the flames. As near as can be learned from the surviving members of the family, two sons who had left the house a short time before, claim that their father and another of their countrymen were the only ones in the house at the time of the fire. They claim the foreman of foul play and he has been arrested and locked up pending an investigation. The following children survive: Mrs. Charles Riley, of this place, and Mrs. Andrew Coleman, of Johnstown, besides a number of children at home, the youngest about ten years of age. The mother of the family died about two years ago. A load of "boozie" taken to the home on Friday played a part in the tragedy.

MORGAN RUN

Albert Powell was at Woodland on Monday.

Earl Smith was at C. E. Smeal's Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smeal, a fine girl baby.

William and Dan Holman were seen out for a sleigh ride Monday.

Harry Hoover and brother Daniel was at Blue Mail Monday evening.

Mrs. Hugh Kephert and family spent Monday with C. E. Smeal.

Jake Hains spent Sunday with Dan Smeal.

Len Bush was at Philipsburg Friday on business.

Ben Jarrett spent Saturday in Philipsburg.

Len Bush and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smeal.



Daddy's Bedtime Story

WHEN THE SNOW AND THE SLEET COME DOWN

He Touched the Mist With His Wand.

LAST evening the sleet had been falling very briskly, and the children watched it pattering down on the tin roof of the veranda until it grew too dark to see.

Jack and Evelyn could not agree on the difference between snow and sleet.

"What is it, daddy?" they asked, turning to their father.

"Now, I see, I am going to have to tell another story. Well, here goes," said he.

"Once way up in the sky there was a big white cloud. It was soft and fluffy, and when old Father Winter saw it he said,

"It's just the thing for a nice snowfall. I'll send Boreas, the north wind, up there. We'll have a nice snow when he touches all that white mist with his icy wand. The boys and girls have not been waiting, some coasting and the grown folks sleighing."

"Now that cloud did not like the idea of cold, blustering Boreas coming up there and tearing and whipping it into flakes.

"So the cloud made up its mind that it would hurry down to earth as a nice, soft rain, and it quickly rolled into drops as it heard Boreas come rattling along the sky."

"Boreas saw the cloud go pattering down in little drops of rain ahead, and you may be very clever," he cried, "but I think I can beat a rain cloud if I try."

"So Boreas dived down. He came rushing along, just as the rain ghost reached the earth, and instead of being that each drop was frozen into little ice balls to be tossed about and slammed into faces until the people who happened to be out in the storm cried aloud in pain.

"And instead of spreading over the earth in a nice white cover like swans down the little drops made just a dirty gray coat of ice on the ground, and every one slipped and scrambled over them, thinking carefully of the nice snow there might have been if the little drops had not been in such a hurry to get down to the earth."

"You see, my dears, when the vapor of which clouds are formed is chilled high in the air it comes down to us as lovely fluffy flakes, but when it starts down as rain and the drops are frozen before getting quite to the earth so that they are nothing but little ice balls we call it sleet."

"With a coat of sleet on the ground and snow over it we have a fine ground for coasting or sleighing, and I think by morning you will find the ground covered with snow, for it seems to be getting much colder."

Like New Velvet

That's what one lady said after I had cleaned a velvet suit for her. The "pile" stood up and had that "shimmery" look of new material. She was pleased. You will be, too, if you will bring in anything velvet to be cleaned.

A. G. BARTHOLOMEW
Market St., Clearfield, Pa.

Dan Smeal had the mules at Philipsburg Saturday to get them shod.

Charles Bush and wife and Dan Smeal and wife and daughter spent Christmas with Davy Jones and wife.

Miss Ruth Mills spent Sunday and Monday with friends at Clearfield.

Misses Gertrude and Alice McLaren were home for Christmas.

J. A. Mills and daughter Martha spent Christmas with James Kurtz of Blue Ball.

SAYS HOT WATER WASHES POISONS FROM THE LIVER

Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle, we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its sponge-like pores from clogging with indigestible material, sour bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, furred tongue, nasty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Sallow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver uncleanness. Your liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. Few know its function or how to release the dammed-up body waste, bile and toxins. Most folks resort to violent calomel, which is a dangerous, salivating chemical which can only be used occasionally because it accumulates in the tissues, also attacks the bones.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Limestone phosphate does not restrict the diet, use calomel, because it can not salivate, for it is harmless and you can eat anything afterwards. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, and any pharmacist will sell you a quartet pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and limestone phosphate cleans the bowels and freshens the blood, keeps you feeling fit day in and day out.

Auto tops recovered, for \$500 and up. Call or phone A. Lea Hess, 15-17 South Fourth St. 27-3tp.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Alvin R. Beish, of West Decatur and Elizabeth Mannes, of Wallacetown. Frederick S. Mullen, of Utahville and Edith U. Tickerhoof, of Rose Bud.

Harry A. Saltsman and Minnie A. Wilcox, both of Karthaus.

M. B. Oden, of Sharon and Edna R. Kohlhepp, of DuBois.

Enloe H. Bell, of Akron, Ohio and Hazel L. Johnston, of Curry Run.

Scott J. Cohick, of Jersey Shore and Clara Gill, of Confort.

William W. Timblin and Norah Z. Wells, both of Huston township.

Eri S. Henry and Grace I. Harrier, both of Home Camp, Pa.

Lelix Coudriet and Fannie Coulton, both of LeContes Mills.

William Senger, of Clearfield and Hattie Joswick, of Alexandria, Ind.

Stephea Hale and Blanche Carey, both of Clearfield.

Joseph E. Besh, of Pike township and Sallie Robertson, of Clearfield.

T. A. Napp, of DuBois and Mary Christian, of Sabula.

Clarence M. Green, of DuBois and Grace L. Antos, of Boggs township.

Lloyd Urison, of Clearfield and Ethel Keller of Lawrence township.

Joseph P. Arnold and Clara B. Bookanise, both of Clearfield.

Magnus Conaway and Ella McKinn, both of Karthaus.

Burton Hummel of Morrisdale and Edith Kaylor, of West Decatur.

J. Carl Richards, of Lewistown and Adda McCracken, of Madara.

James E. Miller of Indiana, Helen Radcliffe, of Barnesboro.

Jacob S. Kline of Home Camp and Elsie M. Smith of Tyler.

John Delfoss and Clara B. Kidd, both of Smithmill.

Oliver P. Gates Jr., of Ball, W. V., and Ada E. Wade, of Cuba Mines, Pa.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Alice Mocomochie of Carlisle and William H. Patterson Jr. of Clearfield was formally announced yesterday at Miss Mocomochie's home in Carlisle.

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All the season's popular styles in this collection. Full flaring and belted styles in cheviots, wool velours, plushes and Bolivia cloth. Every coat reduced

CHILDREN'S COATS

Zibeleins, wool plushes and cheviots in browns, greens and navy, in all sizes from 6 to 14. Reductions 1-4 to 1-3 less than original price.

SILK DRESSES REDUCED

Black and colors in brown, navy, green and plum. Also a few styles in serge dresses.

MANY NEEDED THINGS FOR THE HOME

Can be purchased at a great saving during this After-Christmas sale.

LEITZINGER BROTHERS

HOCKEY SEASON OPENS IN CANADA

Montreal, Quebec Dec. 27.—What promises to be the most successful season in the history of the Canadian National Hockey association opens tonight and will continue until the first half will play off with the winners of the second half at the end of the season.

Thus a club which gets off to a poor start may have a good chance to win the championship.

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TOMORROW

Henry B. Walthal in "THE STING OF VICTORY"

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mrs. J. A. Breath is visiting in

Patton.

Miss Helen Whiteman is spending a

few days with friends in Houtzdale.

Charlie Carrick and Miss Carrie

Carrick are spending the holidays

with their sister, Mrs. L. D. Jacobs

of West Fourth avenue.

Zane Woodring of Philipsburg and

Wilbur and Bud Wining of Port

Matilda attended the funeral of their

cousin Mrs. W. C. Miller yesterday.

H. L. Bowman, ex-county commis-

sioner who is employed at the West-

inghouse at Pittsburgh, spent Christ-

mas here.

Miss Pearl McMurray spent Christ-

mas with her sister in Punxsutawney.

Mr. and Mrs. James Quayle left to-

day for their home in Richland, N. Y.

Lynn Dorr is attending to business

in Mahaffey.

Miss Emma McDowell left today to

spend a few days with friends in Phil-

lipsburg.

Bill Hollenbach, of Philipsburg

spent the day with his sister Mrs.

Harry Brown.

William Hoover of Elmira, N. Y. is

visiting friends in Clearfield.

Chester Kerr of Boardman spent

Christmas with his brother Fred B.

Kerr.

Mrs. Daniel Buck returned this

morning to her home in Unionville

being called here on account of the

death of Mrs. W. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. King entertain-

ed at dinner on Christmas at their

home on Fifth street.

Carl Whiteman who is employed by

the Schenectady General Electric Co.

at Schenectady is spending a few

days with his parents Mr. and Mrs.

Horace Whiteman.

Mrs. W. A. Hagerty who has been

ill at her home on Pine street is con-

volalesing.

Mrs. Nan Gray of Stormtown was

here to attend the funeral of Mrs.

Miller yesterday.

Frederick Gearhart and wife and

little son Mahlon, of Philipsburg

were here to spend Christmas with

Mr. and Mrs. George and sister on Wil-

liams street.

Miss Ella Goodfellow and Miss

Mary Lee left this morning for Ash-

ville, N. C. where they will spend the

winter.

Mrs. Carrie McNaull, of Curwens-

ville, was a Clearfield shopper Satur-

day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bier of

Oakmont, Pa. are visiting Mrs. Bier's

parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Passmore re-

ceived a handsome Christmas present

Saturday in the shape of a fine big

girl baby, the first visit of the stork

in that family for a period of eight

years. Mother and babe are getting

along finely and Daddy Passmore is

ticked nearly to death at his good

fortune.

John Graham who attended the

Michigan Agricultural School at East

Lansing, Michigan is home for the

holidays.

Mrs. Harvey Hamilton of Bell's

Landing visited a few days this week

with her sister Mrs. Kelso at the

childrens home.

Famer County Commissioner C. P.

Rowles and son of O'anta were in

town on business today.

W. B. Duff, tax collector of Union-

town, transacted business in town

today.

Miss Margaret Wright, Physical

Director at the Y. M. C. A. at York

left today to resume her duties.

William Reed left last evening for

Butler having spent a few days here.

Miss Charlotte Hoyt is ill at her

home.

Miss Vera Ogden entertained thirty

guests last evening at a little inform-

al dance at her home on Ogden ave-

nuce. A victrola furnished splendid

music for the dancers. A fine lunch

was served.

The members of the class of 1916

will hold a class reunion this evening

in the High School building. There

will be dancing and speeches by the

members.

Harry Hughes returned to his home

in Williamsport yesterday having

spent Christmas with relatives here.

William Orr and Mr. Mackey of

Glen Richey spent the day in Clear-

field.

Mr. and Mrs. Cohen and daughter

of New York are visiting Mr. Cohen's

daughter Mrs. Pollack.

Arthur Row of DuBois spent Christ-

mas with his parents.

Mrs. Charles Jacob and two sons of

DuBois are visiting relatives in town.

Milton Amos of Shawville was in

town on business today.

T. R. Beaton returned to Cleveland,

Ohio yesterday having spent Christ-

mas with his parent.

Miss Mary Dewey has returned to

her home in Tyrone after spending

Christmas here.

H. B. Douglas returned home this

morning from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills of Houtz-

dale attended the funeral of Mrs. W.

C. Miller.

Philip Dotts of Beccaria township,

was at the Court House on official

business today.

L. M. Impson, of Karthaus, was a

Clearfield visitor today.

Constable James Reese, of Kar-

thaus, had official and other business

in Clearfield today.

John Musser accidentally fell and

broke his arm at the Y. M. C. A. this

morning.

A. W. Leonardson and brother A. G.

Leonardson of DuBois left yesterday

for a business trip to New York.

Painful Explanations.

A man entered a Minneapolis saloon,

shoved a lap robe across the bar and

said: "How many drinks will you

give me on this?"

Patrolman Leaman who saw the

man enter the saloon followed and

placed Johnson under arrest. The

explanation as to the possession of

the lap robe evidently did not sound

convincing.

"Where did you say you got that

robe?" Judge Page asked the man,

who was haled into police court on a

charge of vagrancy.

"I met a young lad down here and

he gave it to me."

"What was his name?"

"I don't know his name."

"This man, a total stranger, walked

right up to you on the street and with-

out saying a word, handed you this lap

robe?"

"That's right," declared Johnson.

"Fifteen days," the judge ordered.

"Huh?"

"Thirty days," the judge said.

"I heard you the first time," said the

prisoner.

Teaching Birds Tricks.

A professor of natural history re-

futes the statement so frequently made

that teaching a bird to draw water

needs apparatus and that the learning

is cruelty to the bird.

"The following experience of mine,"

he says, "proves that it is not so by

any means. We bought a young bird

last January, so wild that on our ap-

proach it flew madly round the cage.

We hung the cage low and by patience,

after the bird got used to our proximi-

ty, induced it to take groundsel, first

held at stem's length, then between the

fingers, finally from the lips. We used

to let him out freely, and he would

perch on the leaf next me at break-

fast. His perch projected through the

whites, and here was his favorite seat

when at liberty. Then I tried hanging

a bit of groundsel by a short string to

the projecting stick. After inspection

he pulled it up with his beak. On

lengthening the string with a fresh

bit of his preferred weed I had the

pleasure and interest of seeing him

pull up the string with his beak till

the flower head was within reach,

catching the slack after each pull with

one foot and then transferring it to

the other, so that the coils were quite

neat."—London Globe.

Water Pressure.

As early as 1648 a Frenchman of

science named Pascal experimented

with pressures applied to liquids and

discovered the following law: A pres-

sure applied to any part of the sur-

face of a liquid is transmitted un-

changed in amount in every direction

through the liquid.

Perhaps the most familiar applica-

tion of Pascal's law is the hydraulic

press. In that machine a pump having

a small piston drives water into a large

cylinder and thereby forces upward a

large piston, which compresses what-

ever is placed between the platform of

the piston and the fixed crossbeam at

the top of the press. If the area of

the larger piston is 100 times that of

the smaller a downward force of one

pound exerted on the smaller piston

will create an upward force of 100

pounds upon the larger piston.

New Year Dance

There will be a Dance

at the Second Ward

Hose House on New

Year's evening.

GOOD STENOGRAPHERS

ARE SCARCE

A prominent Philadelphia

business man made the above

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very quickly after you have

mastered the first principles.

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tunity in the profession—so

many places where the ability

to write shorthand will lead to

a much higher position, that I

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